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FIFTH DISTRICT LEVEE BOARD. Regular Meetings, Second Wednesday in January, April and October, at Tallulah, Louisiana

PROCEEDINGS BOARD OF ALDERMEN, TOWN OF VIDALIA.

The Hon. Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Vidalia, La., met in regular session at the Mayor's office in the Town Hall building this Thursday, September 8th, 1921.

On roll call the following were found to be present, to-wit: Present: Hon. F. Heugh, Mayor, Mrs. M. D. Roatner, G. P. Bullis, W. McCrea, Chas. Moritz and G. A. Murray.

A quorum being present, the meeting was called to order by the Mayor and the following proceedings had, to-wit:

On motion, the reading of the minutes of the preceding meeting was dispensed with.

The Mayor presented his report showing fines during the month amounting to \$120.00. This report was approved and ordered filed.

The Clerk presented his report showing receipts and disbursements for the month as follows: Receipts for month Aug. \$ 911.99 Dib. month August. 1,519.35

Disb. over receipts. 608.13 Bal on hand Aug. 31, 1921. 1,797.22

Bal. on hand Aug. 31, '21. 1,189.09 This report was examined, approved and ordered filed.

The following claims against the Town were examined, approved and ordered paid.

Baker & McDowell Hw. Co. \$ 8.50 Electrical Supply Co. 442.70 Sou. Ry. & Light Co. 179.25 Chas. Moritz 51.41 Black River Lumber Co. 89.02 The Selig Company. 150.00 Jos. M. Reeves, Attorney. 20.00 C. C. Campbell, Clerk. 13.50 L. C. Vance, Secretary. 8.16 John A. Cross, Marshal. 65.00

Total. \$987.44

Mr. Bullis, Chairman of Electric Light committee, presented several proposals for Electrical pumping units in connection with Drainage of the Slough, but on motion, action on this matter was deferred until the freight rates on the different outfits could be obtained.

Mr. F. J. Perrault presented bids for overhauling and putting in good order, two electric motors, one at the Power Plant and the other at the present drainage plant. These bids were \$128.00 and \$142.00. Action on these bids was laid over.

The following Ordinance was offered, and after being duly seconded was passed unanimously, to-wit: ORDINANCE NO. 214.

An Ordinance levying an Advalorem tax of 5 mills on the dollar for the year 1921 on all the taxable property within the corporate limits of the Town of Vidalia, La.

Sec. 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Vidalia, La., in regular session convened, that an Advalorem Tax of five (5) mills on the dollar of valuation be and the same is hereby levied on all the taxable property within the Corporate Limits of the Town of Vidalia, Louisiana.

This Ordinance received the following vote and was declared adopted this 8th day of September, 1921.

Vote. Yeas: Mrs. M. D. Roatner, G. P. Bullis, W. McCrea, C. Moritz and G. A. Murray.

Nays: None. The matter of making up the Town Tax Roll for 1921 was referred to the Finance Committee with power to act.

The committee appointed to investigate the building of a Town Hall reported having received and examined sketches for the proposed building, and to have selected the sketch submitted by Mr. W. W. Ketteringham, Sr., of Thibodaux, La. This sketch having been approved by the committee appointed by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen, the committee appointed by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen also, it was moved, seconded and passed that this sketch be adopted and the committee instructed to have plans and specifications made at a cost of \$60.00.

The committee further reported that they had conferred with Mr. Davidson with reference to securing the two lots on Vernon St. and Second St., as a site for this building. Mr. Davidson agreed to transfer these two lots in exchange for the present Town Hall building and the cash payment of \$250.00.

Several other sites were mentioned but the location at Vernon and Second Streets was preferred and the committee was instructed to accept Mr. Davidson's offer.

No further business being before the Board, the meeting was adjourned subject to call by the Mayor.

PHILIP HOUGH, Mayor.

GEO. A. MURRAY, Clerk.

AMERICAN COTTON ASSOCIATION URGES SLOW COTTON MOVEMENT.

Vidalia, La., Sept. 12, 1921. Dear Editor:—In the face of the shortage of American cotton it is difficult to predict with any degree of accuracy the future upward trend of prices for the next few months. The American Cotton Association does not recommend a minimum price but urges in the strongest terms the slowest movement of the crop to market. Dumping the crop on the market will necessarily create a short period of over-supply and tend to depress prices.

The carry-over is estimated to be six million bales, that stored in the hands of the spinner is about 100,000 bales. The total supply of cotton available for the spinner is estimated to be 10,000,000 bales. The demand for cotton is estimated to be 12,000,000 bales. The shortage of cotton is estimated to be 2,000,000 bales.

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ADELL'S PRICE Cutting Sale

-----begins----- Saturday, Sept. 17.

MR. ADELL VISITED MANY MARKETS AND SECURED
EXTRAORDINARY BARGAINS FROM MANU-
FACTURERS WHO NEED PRODUCTION
ON A CASH BASIS.

- xxxfil hrdlu emfw dvbqkj m Gingham, Toile de Nord, and other best grades, 40c quality, this sale per yard. **19c**
- Ginghams, 25c quality this sale yd. **15c**
- Lonsdale and other best grade Domestic, yd. **18c**
- Outing Flannel, Best grade, per yard. **19c**
- Silks, very good grade Tafeta silks, all colors per yard. **\$1.75**
- Crepe de chine, very heavy quality, per yd. **\$1.75**
- \$2.00 Silk Hose, all colors, this sale pr. **98c**
- French Serge, all wool, \$3.00 quality, this sale per yard. **\$1.50**
- Outings, 30c quality, this sale, per yard. **19c**
- Calico, best grade, this sale per yard. **10c**
- Good quality Domestic, this sale, per yard. **10c**
- Yd. wide Unbleached Domestic, 20c quality this sale pr yd. **10c**
- \$1.00 Quality Ladies Hose, Silk Lisle Hose, this sale, per pair. **50c**
- 25c Ladies' Hose, all colors, this sale, pr. pair. **10c**
- Children's Hose, 50c. Quality good Lisle thread, this sale, per pair. **20c**
- Men's Silk Hose, 75c. quality, this sale pr. **35c**
- 25c. Quality Men's Hose, this sale, pair. **10c**
- Men's Suits, \$40.00 value, **\$17.50**
- Men's Blue Serge Suits, \$25 value, sale. **\$12.50**
- Men's Pants, \$7.00 value, this sale. **\$4.50**
- Good Quality Khaki Pants, \$2.50 value, at. **\$1.50**
- Men's Hats, \$6.00 value for. **\$3.50**
- Men's \$5 Hats. **\$2.75**
- Men's \$3.50 Hats. **\$1.50**
- Men's Shirts, good quality work shirts. **69c**
- Men's Underwear, best grade per garment. **75c**
- Celebrated Headlight Overalls, pair. **\$1.65**
- Sugar, pound. **5 1/2c**
- Best Lard, lb. **14c**
- Flour, good grade, 12 lb. sack. **65c**
- Meal, best meal, 24 lb. sack for. **50c**
- Ladies' Best Quality Georgette and Crepe de Chine Waists, \$5 and \$6 values, this sale. **\$3.50**
- 150 Voile Waists, \$3.00 values, this sale ea. **\$1.50**
- Ladies' Rain Coats. Very good quality. **\$4.50**
- Ladies' Coats, Very Latest Styles, **35** per cent off this sale

WE HAVE THOUSANDS OF ITEMS IN OUR STORE WHICH ARE GOING TO BE SOLD AT GREAT REDUCTIONS

Saturday, September 17th And lasts 10 days

ADELL'S STORE Vidalia, La.

twelve months ending Aug. 1, 1922, is twelve million bales. This is a reasonable estimate when the consumption and exports of American cotton totaled ten and a half million bales during the past year of intense stagnation in the spinning industry. Trade conditions have greatly improved in the past sixty days, and millions of spindles are now running on full time which were idle in July. The acreage this year is the lowest ever recorded since 1905. The condition of the crop is the lowest ever recorded. The outlook is for the smallest crop harvested in thirty years. The textile world is face to face with the most serious cotton famine that has existed since 1865, when the price of middling cotton went to \$1.90 per pound in New York City. Those who control the marketing of the present crop to the spinners will reap the reward of future advancing prices, and it is to be sincerely hoped that the growers will receive their all benefits as a result of their successful co-operation in forcing a drastic reduction in production; which reward is theirs if they will only commence to produce slowly as they have done in the past.

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PHILIP HOUGH, Mayor.
GEO. A. MURRAY, Clerk.

PROCEEDINGS FIFTH DISTRICT LEVEE BOARD.

Office Board of Commissioners, Fifth La. Levee District, Tallulah, La., Aug. 7, 1921. The Board of Commissioners for the Fifth Louisiana Levee District met in regular session at its domicile, Tallulah, La., on this day.

The Board having been called to order by its President at 10 o'clock a. m., the following Commissioners were found to be present at roll call: F. H. Schneider President, and Leo Shields, East Carroll Parish. R. K. Boney and A. E. Kell, Madison Parish. S. T. Shaw and B. F. Young, Texas Parish. Absent: J. H. Lambdin and J. T. Kerr, Concordia Parish.

A quorum being present, the following matters were taken up: Reading of the minutes of previous meeting was, on motion, duly seconded, dispensed with. Reports of the President, Secretary with that of State Engineer Schoenberger, together with all communications, were read and filed. On motion of Commissioner Young duly seconded by Commissioner Shields, the following resolution was adopted: Resolved, That by reason of the great damage that has been done to the property of Mrs. Kate Gorton, a resident of Texas Parish, by reason of the construction of a canal through her property, outside of the public levee, and utterly destroying her private protection, the president of this Board, by and with the advice of the Board of State Engineers, is instructed to draw a warrant, not to exceed \$1,200.00, in favor of Mrs. Gorton, to assist her in repairing the damages done.

On motion of Commissioner Young seconded by Commissioner Boney, the following resolution was adopted: Resolved, That the claims of Geo. D. and W. W. Bland, residents of Texas parish, for certain costs of construction of drainage ditch, adjacent to the levee, which ditch was destroyed in enlarging the levee, be allowed for one-half the amount of the claim and the President is directed, when funds of the Board are available, to pay said amount. On motion of Commissioner Young seconded by Commissioner Shaw, the President of this Board was authorized and directed to make a settlement for the full and equitable value at the time it was cut, of the timber cut by the Black River Lumber Co., on lands belonging to this Board, situated in Concordia Parish, La. Bids for the following repair work at Haggaman, Salem and Holybrook were opened and considered: The following being the lowest bidders: W. T. and G. H. Lowrance. Haggaman drainage ditch. 22.40 yd. Holybrook Enlargement. 22.40 yd. Salem. 22.40 yd.

Robert N. Amacker Haggaman drainage. 15.90 yd. The President, under previous authorization, was instructed to let these contracts under the best possible conditions. On motion of Commissioner Young seconded by Commissioner Shaw, the following resolution was adopted: Resolved, That the President be and he is, hereby authorized to advertise for the enlargement of a part of the lone Levee in Texas Parish; that the Board of State Engineers be requested to have a necessary survey of this work to be let according to law. Resolved, further, That it is to be agreed and understood by the bidder or contractor, on said work, that this work to be let conditioned on its being paid after January 1st, 1922. On motion, duly seconded, the following claims were allowed:

Madison Journal, printing. \$ 3.00
Cumb. T. & T. Co., phone. 9.10
S. L. Waxwell, weed cutting. 125.00
Guen-Luc. Dg. Co., sundries. 2.00
Guen-Les. Dg. Co., sundries. 2.05
Mag. & Schn., gas and oil. 5.03
A. G. Frost, reg. mower. 15.00
F. H. Schn'dr., trav exp. 4.25
Powell & Perkins, weed cut. 500.00
Tatum & Shrrt, weed cut. 60.00
Total. \$723.43

Claims allowed, but payment deferred:
W. R. Gilfoil, crop damage by new levee. \$ 740.00
half of claim. 76.50
W. W. Bland, Drainage, one Geo. D. Bland, same. 180.00
Mrs. Kate Godton, damage to protection levees. 1250.00
Total. \$2246.00

There being no further business, on motion, duly seconded, the Board adjourned.

F. H. SCHNEIDER, President
Attest: O. W. CAMPBELL, Secretary.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT.

To the Hon. President and Members Board of Commissioners, Fifth Louisiana Levee District: Gentlemen:—I beg to submit for your information, the following financial report, ending August 31, 1921.

1921 DISBURSEMENTS
Aug. 1. F. H. Schneider, Pres salary for July. \$ 83.33
Aug. 1. O. W. Campbell, Secy. salary for July. 150.00
Aug. 1. O. W. Campbell, office expense for July. 5. 83
Aug. 6. For Const. Co., Est. 2 Harris Field Levee. 3728.64
Aug. 10 Leo Shields, Com. per diem and mileage. 7.60
Aug. 10 R. K. Boney, Com. per diem and mileage. 6.80
Aug. 10 A. E. Kell, Com. per diem and mileage. 5.80
Aug. 10 S. T. Shaw, Com. per diem and mileage. 10.40
Aug. 10 J. T. Kerr, Com. per diem and mileage. 15.40
Aug. 10 A. C. Hirsch, moving houses from rt wy lve. 80.00
Aug. 10 F. H. Schneider, trav exp. Pres. Board. 39.97
Aug. 10 A. E. Kell, trav exp Commissioner of Board. 10.00
Aug. 10 Hy. Kaufman, Auto hire for Com Shaw. 10.00
Aug. 10 Johnson Ice Co., ice for office for July. 2.80
Aug. 10 Cumb. T. & T. Co., phone service. 8.80
Aug. 10 Geisenberger & Fried dynamite for Bougore. 23.40
Aug. 10 Guen. Luc. Dg. Co. sundries for office. 7.53
Tal. Hdw. & Furn. Co., lights and fixtures office. 2.50
Aug. 18 W. F. Scott, purchase price Ford car. 614.55
Aug. 18 Moving houses from right way levee. 355.00
Total disbursements. \$5168.15

CREDITS

Sept. 1 Cash balance in State Treasury. \$3,176.62
Sept. 1 In banks. 26,271.36
Sept. 1 From Tax Collectors for August 1921. 6,834.00
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Couples Cord Tires and Tubes, at Magoun Drug Store, Vidalia, La.

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Cole & Co.

ANNOUNCE

Clearance Prices

=====ON=====

Silks and Dress Goods

Summer Dresses and Suits

House Furnishings

BIG REDUCTIONS

COLE & CO.

STATEMENT

OF THE CONDITION OF THE

Vidalia Bank & Trust Co.

LOCATED AT VIDALIA, PARISH OF CONCORDIA

Report furnished to the Examiner of State Banks by the above Bank at the close of business on Sept. 6, 1921.

John Dale, President Charles Moritz, Vice-President
F. Falkenheiner, Cashier Miss C. Murray, Asst. Cashier
D. B. Fleming, Mgr. Ferriday Branch

RESOURCES

Demand Loans	\$ 83,547.66
Loans Secured by Mortgage	111,112.50
Other Loans and Discounts	60,297.66
Bonds, Stocks, Securities, Etc.	14,500.00
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures	6,167.30
Cash Items	306.00
Due from Other Banks and Bankers	48,044.50
Gold Coin	757.50
Silver, Nickel and Copper Coin	1,729.25
National Bank Notes, and all other issues	
U. S. Gov. (Except Gold Cert.)	10,335.00
Total	\$336,797.37

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock Paid In	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus	5,000.00
Undivided Profits, less expenses and taxes paid	9,452.48
Cashiers Checks Outstanding	1,086.38
Individual Deposits Subject to Check	193,281.44
Time Certificates of Deposit	57,977.07
Bills payable	20,000.00
Total	\$336,797.37

State of Louisiana, Parish of Concordia.
I, John Dale, President, and I, F. Falkenheiner, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
JOHN DALE, President
F. FALKENHEINER, Cashier
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of Sept., 1921.
C. C. CAMPBELL, Clerk of Court

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BENOIST'S

Spring Weelens—Kuppenheimer Good Clothes—Fit-Form Suits, 2 and 3 pieces
\$23.50 to \$45

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NEW HATS, SHIRTS, UNDERWEAR AND FURNISHINGS
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BENOIST BROTHERS

CLOTHIERS
NATCHEZ, MISSISSIPPI

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OFFICES AT VIDALIA AND FERRIDAY, LA.

Solicits your Account however small

EAGLE "MIKADO" Pencil No. 174

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ASK FOR THE YELLOW PENCIL WITH THE RED BAND
EAGLE MIKADO
EAGLE PENCIL COMPANY, NEW YORK

TRESPASS NOTICE
Notice is hereby given that the White Hall Plantation, in Concordia Parish, La., is posted against hunting, trapping, shooting, fishing, peccan gathering, or posted in any manner trespassing thereon. Violators will be prosecuted. In the past hundred years the administration of soldier and sailor by government agencies, has been a failure. The magnitude of the work of the legislature is being done by the courts. The creation of a new system is being done.

POSTED
Notice is hereby given that the Phillips Plantation, in Ward 9 is posted against hunting, trapping, shooting, fishing, peccan gathering, or posted in any manner trespassing thereon. Violators will be prosecuted. In the past hundred years the administration of soldier and sailor by government agencies, has been a failure. The magnitude of the work of the legislature is being done by the courts. The creation of a new system is being done.